IN THE CLAIM

Please amend claim 1 as the following. The amendment of claim 1 is based on the Fig. 1 of the present invention. The claims 2 to 4 are remained without any amendment.

The relation of the new claims with respect to the original claims are shown in the following REMARK, Examiners can read the claims more easily from the REMARK.

LIST OF CLAIMS:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) A multi-functional engineering clipper comprising: a cutting portion and a handle portion; a plurality of screwing units for fixing the cutting portion with the handle portion; two pivotal portions being installed on the cutting portion having two pivotal portions;

a front end of each pivotal portion being installed with two a first knife portions portion; each first knife portion having a flat knife; the two flat knives being symmetrically arranged;

a rear end of each <u>first knife portion pivotal portion</u> being installed with <u>a</u> second knife <u>portion</u>; each second knife portion having a semi-round knife; the two semi-round knives being symmetrically arranged; and

a rear end of each second knife portion being extended with a third knife portion; each third knife portion having a cambered knife;

a rear end of each third knife portion being extended with a leg;

wherein the handle portion is formed by two handles; each handle has an approximately U shape recess for receiving a respective one of the legs of the cutting portion; two lateral sides of each handle are approximately parallel and two lateral sides of each leg are approximately parallel;

each handle is locked to the respective leg by using two screws to pass

through the handle and the leg from the lateral sides of the handle and the leg.

Claim 2. (Original) The multi-functional engineering clipper as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first knife portion serves for cutting one of steel plates and steel strips.

Claim 3. (Original) The multi-functional engineering clipper as claimed in claim 1, wherein the second knife portion serves for cutting cables.

Claim 4. (Original) The multi-functional engineering clipper as claimed in claim 1, wherein the third knife portion serves for cutting one of steel ropes and steel ropes.